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## BULLFROG GOLD MINING CO. To the Public.

In presenting this mining enterprise to the investing public, we desire to call attention to our claims for a successful business, and ask your careful consideration of the following:

### Personnel of the Company.

The company has been duly organized by the following well-known and responsible citizens of their respective cities, for the purpose of developing and mining valuable properties in the Bullfrog mining district of Southern Nevada: Frank L. Scott, president of the Scott Hardware Co.; Chas. E. Graham, formerly county court clerk; R. E. Ashbrook, formerly insurance and real estate agent; Geo. H. Goodman, president of the wholesale liquor firm of Geo. H. Goodman & Co.; S. L. Levy, of the well-known firm of Loch, Bloom & Co., wholesale liquor dealers; B. H. Scott, of the Smith & Scott Tobacco Co. and president of Mechanics & Farmers Savings bank; Oscar C. Hank, representative of the American Snuff Co. in the Western tobacco district; R. B. Ashbrook, formerly deputy county court clerk, all of Paducah, Ky.; Chas. H. Davis, president Second National bank, Robert M. Cox, of the firm of Claud & Cox, prominent insurance agents, Oscar W. Kuhn, prominent attorney, Victor H. Grossius, president of Apollo Cigar Co., P. W. Dargin, president of Eagle Development Co., all of Cincinnati. P. A. Bush, prominent citizen and miner, of Ithylite, Nevada.

### Organization.

The company is incorporated under the laws of Arizona, with a capital stock of one million shares of the par value of one dollar, full paid and non-assessable.

### Purposes.

The company having acquired valuable mining properties in the Bullfrog Mining District of Southern Nevada, (See prospectus) offers to the investing public a limited amount of treasury stock at Fifteen Cents per share, for the purpose of developing same.

### Investigation and Prospectus.

We invite a full and complete investigation of our properties, plans and purposes, and ask a careful consideration of the claims in our prospectus, as well as a personal visit to our office or inquiry by mail for additional information.

### Conclusion.

With full assurance that we have a first-class, legitimate and profitable investment to offer you which will bear the closest investigation, we remain,

### Yours truly,

PADUCAH BULLFROG GOLD MINING CO.

\$15.00 will buy 100 shares; \$30.00 will buy 200 shares; \$75.00 will buy 500 shares; \$150.00 will buy 1,000 shares.

No certificate for less than 100 shares issued.

### STOPS ASTHMA ATTACKS.

Thousands Testify to Ascatco's Astonishing Cures.

New York, March 27.—An innovation has recently been made in America that entirely supersedes the time worn practice of using "smokes" and other inhalations for the treatment of asthma and catarrh. Thousands of sufferers claim that 500 drops of the new Austrian remedy, ascatco, taken internally, have been sufficient to effect a permanent cure; the dose being but seven drops twice daily.

The opportunity of testing ascatco is offered by the Austrian dispensary, 32 West 25th street, New York City, which will send a sample free by mail to all who write for it.

### Spriggs Gets 20 Years.

New York, March 28.—Robert H. Spriggs, a negro dive keeper, was convicted of trafficking in white slaves, and sentenced to 20 years at Sing Sing, the maximum penalty.

## THE PEOPLE SUGGEST MORE IMPROVEMENTS

### Owners on First Street Want That Thoroughfare Rebuilt.

They Will Petition the Council to Do This Work During This Year.

### STORM SEWERS A NECESSITY.

The property owners on First street from Jefferson to Broadway are getting up a petition which will be signed by all of the property owners, petitioning the council to reconstruct that street when the other streets are reconstructed.

This street was recommended by the joint committees of the council and the board of works, but the council left it out of the streets decided on to be rebuilt this year, at a joint meeting of the boards Monday night.

In the petition, the suggestion is contained that the council get the Illinois Central to raise its tracks at the foot of Jefferson street and build a viaduct over it, thus opening up that thoroughfare which has been closed to traffic for a number of years.

First street is, the property owners down there contend one of the most important business streets in the downtown district, and should by all means be improved. The cost of a block of brick street is between \$4,500 and \$5,000 and the railroad would have to bear a good portion of the cost of the street, so the burden on any one, save the railroad, would be light.

The petition will be presented at the next meeting of the council and a representative of the property owners will appear before the council to advance their arguments why the street should be improved.

### Storm Sewers Mustn't Be Overlooked.

"The council makes a mistake when it orders a street rebuilt and does not order storm sewers constructed on that street," said former Secretary of the Board of Public Works Saunders A. Fowler today.

"It has been the experience of all cities that this is one of the very essential things of street reconstruction,—that the water must be taken care of properly or there will always be trouble from this source. The council should consider the matter carefully, and get the advice of experts in such matters, before doing anything definitely along that line. We all want to see the streets improved as rapidly as possible and should not stand in the way of any improvements are made they should be done in the right way."

Mr. Fowler's views are in accord with City Engineer Washington's on this matter, the city engineer having pointed out this fact to the boards when it was up for consideration.

The council may make a change in the plans for this street, but it is problematical. "We shall do what we think is for the best interests of the city," a member of the lower board said today when asked about the matter.

There is much regret among a number of residents of Fifth street, and others, too, that this street is not to be improved with bitulith instead of brick, as the latter is more desirable for a resident street. The difference in cost is, too, only about \$350 a block—not enough to amount to very much.

**A GUARANTEED CURE FOR POPLIES** itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. Scented.

## EATEN OUT OF HOUSE AND HOME

How a Confirmed Dyspeptic Developed An Appetite Like a Corn-Husker's and Cleaned Out Everything in Sight.

The wife of a leading druggist of Des Moines tells how her brother was changed from a dyspeptic without appetite to a prodigious eater.

"My brother, who is a lawyer in Chicago, came to visit me and I hardly knew him on his arrival he was so thin and run down. I had not seen him for years and was much alarmed at his appearance. He told me not to worry as he had been in this condition for years as a result of chronic dyspepsia. I asked him what he had done for it, and he said he had done everything—taken every remedy he had ever heard of and consulted doctors without number, none of them helped him. I asked him if he ever took Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and he said he hadn't and what was more he wouldn't. He had sworn off taking medicine of any kind.

"I had my husband bring home a box from the store and I actually made him take one or two of the tablets after he had eaten. They made him feel so much better that he offered no further objection. He had not taken the one box before he was greatly improved and three or four boxes cured him of dyspepsia and gave him a wonderful appetite. He came near eating us out of house and home, My, but it did me good to see him eat. He gained 15 pounds before he returned home, and he writes me that he has not been troubled with dyspepsia since."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets actually do the work assigned to them. They relieve weak and overburdened stomachs of their work of digestive fluids and secretions of the stomach and they simply take up the grind and carry on the work just the same as a good, strong, healthy stomach would do it.

On this account Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are perfectly natural in their action and effects. They do not cause any unnatural or violent disturbance in the stomach or bowels. They themselves digest the food and supply the system with all the nourishment contained in what is eaten and carry out Nature's plans for the sustenance and maintenance of the body.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, by thus relieving the stomach of its work, enable it to recuperate and regain its normal health and strength. Nature repairs the worn and wasted tissues just as she heals and knits the bone of a broken limb, which is of course not used during the process of repair.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale by all druggists at 50 cents a box. One box will frequently effect a perfect cure.

### Are Seriously Ill.

News of the serious illness of Mrs. Jennie Sutherland and her son, at Mayfield, reached the city yesterday afternoon, and Messrs. Walter and Oliver Sutherland of the local I. C. shops, went down to attend the bedside. They are sons of the patient and it is said her condition is hopeless. Both mother and son are suffering from consumption.

### Colds Cause Sore Throat

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip Remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

—Paducah Bullfrog company owns 110 acres on Bonanza Ladd and Montgomery mountains close to such producing mines as the Denver, Eclipse, Shoshone and others, a limited amount of stock offered for development purposes par value \$1.00 full paid and non-assessable. Buy now at 15 cents per share.

## SWITCHMAN GEORGE THROWN FROM TRAIN

### Topped Off in Yards of I. C. Shops Here Yesterday.

Only Escaped What Might Have Been An Ugly Accident by Fortunate Fall.

### OTHER INTERESTING NOTES.

Switchman Hugh George, employed in the local I. C. shops, narrowly escaped being injured or probably killed yesterday afternoon about 5:50 o'clock while in the shop yards riding on his engine with a string of "bad order" cars.

The cars were brought in by an incoming freight from Cairo and switch engine No. 1562, Engineer Shepherd, picked them up to jerk them into a siding out of the way. The engine was bowling along at a rapid pace when the rear trucks jumped the tracks and began riding the ties. George was standing on the rear of the engine and on account of the terrible bumping could not steady himself to jump safely from the engine. He had to hold on for dear life and was finally thrown off, but fortunately fell on the side and not under the cars the engine was pulling. His escape was narrow and but for his presence of mind in holding on tight and not attempting to jump he might have been fatally injured. Though Switchman George was thrown a distance of several feet and was shaken up badly he was not seriously bruised.

The engine was but slightly damaged and is in service today.

Physicians at the railroad hospital operated on P. L. Murdock's right wrist yesterday afternoon. The negro is employed as porter on the passenger train between Memphis and Louisville, and was cut by glass from a broken window.

Dr. H. M. Childress, the eye specialist of the I. C. hospital corps, performed an operation on Calvin Grayson, colored, left eye, yesterday afternoon. The eye had been knocked out in a railroad accident, and the skin was forced back into the socket. The operation was performed to give the socket a better appearance.

The transfer boat Dekoven was unable to land yesterday afternoon on the Kentucky side with the passenger trains on account of a broken piling which will be repaired today. The passengers, express and mail matter were transferred from the boat to a dummy train, and this arrangement will be maintained until the necessary repairs are made.

Conductor C. H. Blaney, of the Carbondale and Paducah passenger run on the I. C., will return to his duty today after a three weeks' absence at Hot Springs for rheumatism. His train has been in charge of Conductor A. Rupp, of the Centralia division. The latter will now return to his division.

Mr. R. B. Misenheimer, night baggageman for the local I. C. depot, has recovered after a brief illness of la grippe and is again on duty.

Mr. Frank Slaughter, agent for the I. C. at Cedar Bluff, has been transferred to the Paducah I. C. dispatching office as operator and will this week take up his new duties. He is succeeded at Cedar Bluff where he has been working for three

months, by G. Dudley, of Princeton. Mr. Slaughter will be employed as combination clerk and operator in the local offices.

Mr. Jerry Arnold, the well known I. C. switchman of Fulton, will return to that city tonight to resume his duties as switchman, after a ten days' layoff from an injured hand. His right hand was bruised by an accident. He lives here but works at Fulton, coming in every morning on the accommodation train.

The story printed about Frank Barger, the I. C. switchman formerly employed in the Paducah yards, being lost and his whereabouts not known, as usual developed to be a joke or alleged joke perpetrated by a fellow railroadman. Mrs. Barger resides in Paducah and was worked up over the report. She telegraphed Memphis and found that Mr. Barger was working and had been working incessantly. It developed a railroad man in Paducah started the story as a joke. Periodically some one starts jokes on Barger, it once having been published that he had died.

Railroad officials estimate that hundreds of dollars monthly will be saved in installing a new scale in the shop yards. Engineers who have to switch cars to the south yards from the shop or transfer boat yards at Sixth and Campbell streets, often work overtime because of the distance and are paid for it. Moreover the time it takes to go to the yards for weighing freight often causes delays to outgoing freights on the Cairo extension. This will be done away with by the installation of the shop yard scales and will mean a great deal of economy to the road in time and money.

Operator C. Kitzmiller, of the east end, has arrived to succeed Operator S. W. James, of the day watch in the south yards, and Mr. James has gone home for a few days' visit before he goes into the depot ticket office as regular day operator.

Mr. Roy Phelps, the I. C. car repairer, who was on the board of trustees of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, has resigned from the board and left the local lodge. He has gone to filing on the Louisville division.

It's but a step from cunning to rascally.

**1-30th** of the entire Quinine production of the World is consumed every year by the makers of **Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets** "Cure a Cold in One Day." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c

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[Incorporated]

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Trimble Street Line Schedule of Car Service.

Cars Leave First for Trimble Street	Cars Leave Cemetery for First Street
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One car leaves Fourth and Broadway for Trimble street at 12:30 a. m.

Twelve minute service Saturday night until 11 p. m.

Service begins one hour later on Sundays.

### The Rodney Stock Co.

The Rodney Stock Co. presented the popular "Mysterious Mr. Raffles," some times played under the title of "The Shadow" and "Man of Mystery," to a large crowd at The Kentucky last night. The play was interesting and ably presented. Last night ladies were admitted free for the second time and the house was well filled. The company will produce another splendid play tonight. One feature of the shows is the excellent musical program rendered by the Deal orchestra, and the high class specialties.

The movement for the "Before and After" company has been received by the I. C. here. The company, 15 people, will arrive from St. Louis on the morning of April 2. An extra baggage car is carried for the scenery. The company will move to Owensboro on the morning of the 3rd.

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## Mothers! Save Your Girls!

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and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling all your troubles, and stating your age. We will send you FREE ADVICE, in plain sealed envelope, and a valuable book on "Home Treatment for Women." Address: Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. G 54

## Needless Suffering

In young girls, is too often caused by the mothers' lack of knowledge of proper treatment at that time. "Mamma was almost crazy, to think of my sickness", writes Miss Hazel Upson, of 130 S. Fifth Street, De Kalb, Ill. "The best doctor in De Kalb gave me up and said I could not get well. I had been sick with a fever and never got over it, but

## WINE OF CARDUI Woman's Relief

brought me around all right. Before taking Cardui I had been out of order for six months, was weak, pale, wan and thin and hardly able to get around. A lady friend recommended Cardui and mamma got me a bottle, though she had very little hopes of its helping me, but praise God I had taken just three bottles when I was relieved and began to get well right off. Now I am feeling well. Mamma wants me to send you my picture to let you see how fat I am getting. Mamma and I are so thankful for the Wine of Cardui, and I will do all I can to let every suffering person know how much it has done for me." Cardui is a harmless vegetable medicine for women and girls, with a specific strengthening curative effect upon the female organs. For over half a century it has been in successful use and in that long trial has proved itself a safe, reliable remedy, for young and old. Try it.

At all Druggists in \$1.00 Bottles



## PAYNE DECLARES AGAINST REVISION

Replies to McCall and Makes His Position Plain.

The Chairman Says the Majority Is Against Change At Present Session.

### ISSUE IS STRONGLY STATED

Washington, March 28.—What may be regarded as the final pronouncement against tariff revision at the present session of congress is contained in a letter from Chairman Payne, of the house ways and means committee, in reply to a communication sent him by Representative McCall on behalf of the Massachusetts delegation in congress. Mr. McCall calls attention in his communication to the declaration in the Republican state platform of Massachusetts for tariff revision, with adherence to the policy of protection, and to the declaration in the Republican national platform regarding the readjustment of duties when conditions demand, and intrusting the question to a Republican president and congress. The Massachusetts view, as presented, is that conditions have so changed as to demand change over the Dingley rates, which have served nine years.

In his reply Mr. Payne first calls attention to the method by which the tariff legislation must be brought about—by a concurrent view of the majority of the party in power. He next points out that this concurrent view does not exist. The house, he says, is divided into groups of members, each group favoring the modification of different schedules, while he says a majority of the Republicans in the house do not believe that there should be any change at all. He declares that the people have forgotten the disaster politically and commercially, which followed the tariff change of 1860, and concludes with the following reasoning:

"Congress is not prepared to review the tariff schedules in that calm, judicial frame of mind, so necessary in the preparation of a tariff act at a time so near the coming congressional elections. The Dingley bill was the most successful ever enacted. Its political results were so evident to the country during the 18 months that elapsed between its passage and the next election that the people have continued the policy of that bill to the present day. It would be unfortunate should any precipitate action in the future result in a temporary reversal in the policy of protection in the United States.

"While it is true that some improvement could well be made in the rates under the Dingley bill it was probably as free from defect at the time of its passage as any new law which could now be enacted. During the nine years of its operation the country has enjoyed prosperity unparalleled, a prosperity which at the present time is simply marvellous. We may well hesitate to take any chance of interrupting the business of the country by a general revision of the tariff and we should never enter upon it until we are satisfied that such a revision will accomplish results far outweighing any well grounded apprehension of business depression and consequent evil results, which would come, even temporarily, from such revision.

"I can not, therefore, agree with your delegation that it would be best at the present session of congress to enter upon a consideration of a tariff with a view to its revision and readjustment. While this is my individual opinion, I have reason to believe that it is also the judgment of a decided majority of the committee on ways and means."

### Drowned in Reelfoot Creek.

Union City, Tenn., March 28.—Saturday night, while returning from Hickman, Ky., to his home near Clayton, in this county, Clemens Caldwell, who was with a companion, on reaching Reelfoot creek found it full from the recent rains, and in attempting to make his horse swim it fell from the animal and was drowned. Search has been constantly going on for the body, which was found last night about 11 o'clock. The deceased was a young man who had just reached his majority.

—\$300 buys 2,000 shares, \$150 buys 1,000 shares, \$75 buys 500, \$30 buys 200 shares, \$15 buys 100 shares in Paducah Bullfrog Co., until April 1, when stock is advanced. Don't delay. Don't miss the chance for a good investment.

—Only a few days more to get Paducah Bullfrog stock at 15 cents. Don't miss this opportunity to get a good stock that will make you money.

## WORK WEAKENS THE KIDNEYS

Doan's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service for People Who Work in Paducah.

Most Paducah people work every day in some strained, unnatural position—bending constantly over a desk—riding on jolting wagons or cars—doing laborious housework; lifting, reaching or pulling, or trying the back in a hundred and one other ways. All these strains tend to wear, weaken and injure the kidneys until they fall behind in their work of filtering the poisons from the blood. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, put new strength in bad backs. Paducah cures prove it.

T. W. Woodson, of 40 South Ninth street, painter, employed with C. D. Warren, 408 1/2 Broadway, says: "Every painter is more or less troubled with his kidneys on account of the nature of his work. We all know what causes it but how to remove it is a mystery. I tried lots of medicine and different schemes, but until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Alvey & List's drug store and took them I met with very indifferent success. They cured the trouble."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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Organized Under the Laws of the Territory of Arizona.  
CAPITAL STOCK \$1,000,000.  
Par Value \$1.00 Each  
Full Paid and Non-Assessable  
Mines at Bull Frog, Nye County, Nevada.

#### To the Public:

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company, held March 7, it was decided to advance the price of STOCK from Fifteen Cents to SEVENTEEN AND ONE-HALF CENTS per Share on the first of April. The above action by the Directors in their judgment is warranted for the following reasons:

FIRST—The property owned by the Company, EIGHT Claims—about 110 Acres—was secured last December, and since which time all property in the district has increased in value from 25 to 150 PER CENT owing to the development done in the district.

SECOND—The WHITE ROCK Claim on Bonanza Mountain being practically surrounded by producing mines, and the development work now being pushed on the Rush group, Peerless, Index and others, has demonstrated that the WHITE ROCK is as good property as any of them, and the additional fact of the strike just made on the Rush group which adjoins the WHITE ROCK, proving that we can and will develop a good mine.

THIRD—The "Last Chance," adjoining the WHITE ROCK, has just been bought by Edwin Arkell, a prominent mining man of Colorado Springs, for \$50,000.00, thereby proving our property worth as much.

FOURTH—In the past 60 days the value of ten BULLFROG Stocks has advanced over THREE MILLION DOLLARS, the notable ones being the Denver, Eclipse and Montgomery Shoshonic. The property of our Company (see prospectus) is most favorably located to them.

FIFTH—The Railroad will be completed by June 1st, which will further enhance the holdings of the Company as well as all other property in the BULLFROG DISTRICT.

We offer the best proposition that is on the market today, and can with confidence urge the purchase of the stock. Firmly believing we will develop a good mine and that an investment in our stock will prove profitable we ask you to join us before the advance takes effect.

Yours truly,

PADUCAH BULLFROG GOLD MINING CO.

No. 8. The narrow-gauged man — refuses to listen to anything "out of his line." We have a respect for No. 8 if he be sincere and sticks to his line. Mining is the line of the Paducah Bullfrog Gold Mining Co. and we are going to stick to it and make money for our stockholders.

No. 5. The suspicious man—always afraid somebody will rob him. The world is full of No. 5s, they won't buy Paducah Bullfrog stock and they are not asked to.

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## KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Mayfield Couple Wed.  
Fulton, Ky., March 28.—T. F. Parkhill and Miss Lola Cunningham of Mayfield, Ky., were married here at the residence of "Squire J. T. J. Futrell in West Fulton.

Married At Fulton.  
Fulton, Ky., March 28.—Hughie Newman of this city, and Miss Willie Meacham, of Hickman, Ky., were married here. The wedding was rather romantic. Mr. Newman and Miss Meacham have been sweethearts for several months, but the young lady's parents objected to their marriage on account of her age.

Death at Arlington.  
Fulton, Ky., March 28.—T. W. McConnell, aged 65, died at his home in Arlington, Ky., after a short illness of pneumonia. Deceased was a prominent business man, highly respected by his associates and friends. He was a half brother to W. K. Hall, the big lumber dealer of this city.

Wants Mayfield to Join.  
Mayfield, Ky., March 28.—Judge Bunk Gardner has received a letter from T. H. Bassett of Hopkinsville, inviting Mayfield to join the West Kentucky Baseball league for the coming season. This league is composed of Owensboro, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Princeton, Madisonville and other places. Mayfield will now doubt grasp the invitation and begin to talk business with Mr. Bassett.

The Road Won.  
Mayfield, Ky., March 28.—The damage suit brought against the I. C. road by the administrators of Frank Young, deceased, has been disposed of in the circuit court, the jury finding for the defendant. Young is the boy who fell from the train at Milan, Tenn., last fall, and died from injuries he received. The plaintiffs asked for \$2,000 damages.

To Test Redistricting Act.  
Frankfort, Ky., March 28.—Attorney George Du Relle and W. H. Holt, of Louisville are here in conference with Senator Bennett. Representatives Smith, Halbert and other republican members of the assembly relative to the actions to be brought to test the constitutionality of the legislative redistricting act of the present assembly and old acts redistricting senatorial and congressional districts. They declare the law unconstitutional and say it can be defeated in the courts. A suit to annul the law will be brought.

Lightning Kills Stock.  
Mayfield, Ky., March 28.—W. A. Martin, a prominent farmer living four miles south of the city, had a close call Monday night during a thunder storm. About 6 o'clock he went out to the stable to feed and care for his stock, and while standing about six feet between each of two horses, a stroke of lightning knocked both of the horses down, stunned himself, and killed one of his steers about 12 feet from him, worth about \$20. His little boy, who was nearby in the lot was badly stunned also and was quite sick all night from its effects.

DEATH OF PILOT GREEN  
Was a Resident of Cairo Though a Native of Smithland.

Word reached Paducah this forenoon announcing the death last night at 11 o'clock, in Cairo, of Capt. Harry Green, a well known pilot who made that place his home. The immediate cause of the death of Captain Green was the removal of a leg injured last Saturday night while he was at work on the steamer John A. Wood, on which he was engaged as pilot. He had his leg crushed by his wheel while at work in falling with an attack of epilepsy from which he was a sufferer. The leg was amputated just above the knee at the marine hospital in Cairo and for a time it was thought the captain would recover but he was too frail in general health and succumbed at the hour named.

Capt. Green was 40 years old. He was a son of the late Capt. Samuel Green and a brother of Mrs. Musa Woodward, of Cairo. He was born in Smithland but when about eight years of age removed with his parents to Cairo and that place has since been his home. He had been a pilot nearly since manhood and was accounted a good one. He was of a most social nature and had a wide acquaintance along the Ohio river, which stream he piloted almost entirely. Capt. Green left a wife and several interesting children.

The remains of the deceased will be interred at New Madrid, Mo., which is the old home of Mrs. Green.

—Read the page in the Paducah Bullfrog Co's prospectus entitled "Ten Men Who Never Won, and Never Will." Take advantage of the opportunity and buy stock at 15 cents before April 1.

## Public Ownership Would Be Fatal to Welfare of Cities and the People

At a meeting of the Ohio Gas Light association held in Cincinnati March 21, 22, 23, Donald McDonald, president of the Kentucky Heating company, gave a brief address on the question of municipal ownership. In connection with his address, which dealt in a very succinct way with a great problem that is in the forefront of present consideration, Mr. McDonald accorded an interview to a Louisville Herald reporter in which he supplemented his remarks at the association with further interesting comment.

"My remarks at Cincinnati were a part of the address required of me as president of the Ohio Gas Light Association. This association started in Ohio. It has now a membership from every state in the Union. There has been a feeling among its members that some organized effort should be made to counteract the tendency toward municipal ownership, the idea being to educate the public opinion as to the evils which this system has developed. My remarks were as follows:

"Much has been said during the year about the progress of the craze for municipal ownership. I believe that with American cities, organized as they are, municipal ownership would be a great mistake; but I do not believe that it is the duty of a man to oppose this idea to any greater extent than it is the duty of all good citizens to oppose it. If the public wants our works, they will pay for them; and apart from the protection afforded by law, the national sense of fair play in the American people is a sufficient guarantee that if the works are taken and paid for, they will be paid for at a fair price.

"My opinion is, however, that the time when the American people will be willing to embark in the manufacture of gas, and will create the debts necessary to do so, and ratify those debts at popular elections, is as far off today as it ever was. Generally speaking, the gas companies have furnished, year by year, a better service at a lower price; and while some sort of regulation similar to that which has existed for years in Massachusetts may result as the outcome of the present agitation, I do not believe that there will result anything radical, or anything which will seriously injure those companies which are treating the public fairly, as I believe nearly all gas companies are."

"A large volume can be written on either side of this question; but there is not an argument in favor of public ownership of gas works and electric works which would not apply as well to the public ownership of drug stores, groceries and saloons. Surely food and medicine are necessities of life, equally with light and heat. Surely it is just as necessary to get pure food and pure medicines as it is to get good service in light and heat. Public ownership of saloons and drug stores has been tried, and has, on the whole, been much more successful than public ownership of light plants and heat plants. "Public ownership is not an experiment to be tried. It is an experiment that has been tried in many places, and has proven a failure in nearly all of them. There are many gas companies in America owned by the public. The gas which they sell is not as good nor as cheap as the gas sold by many companies privately owned. Wherever the publicly owned companies show a profit it is done by omitting all the charges for taxes, for interest and for depreciation. The private company pays taxes, and the public treasury is enriched. Interest and depreciation go on, whether they are charged for or not, and eventually both must be lost.

"I believe that public ownership is better than unrestricted private monopoly; but experience everywhere has shown that a properly regulated private company serves the public better than a publicly owned plant, the principal reason being that a man of such studious habits as would make him a competent manager of a public utility, cannot, at the same time, be the jovial, sociable good fellow that would likely be elected to an office. The men who do the electing have scant knowledge of engineering, and still less of chemistry, and they are totally unable to give proper weight to attainments in these absolutely essential lines.

"Louisville has had for many years a publicly owned water company. It has had the good fortune to have in charge of it a thoroughly well-trained engineer. But, in spite of this fact, the general conduct of its affairs has been by no means satisfactory to the public.

"At present the Louisville Gas company is advocating municipal ownership for the purpose of heading off possible competition in electric light. The municipal ownership, however, is fourteen years off, while the competition is looming up very close. Even if this were different, the experienced New York men who control the Louisville Lighting com-

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Three Deaths in a Day.  
Clinton, Ky., March 28.—Within twenty-four hours three deaths have occurred here. Funeral services were conducted jointly by the Revs. Hamilton, Mason and Moore over the remains of T. W. Ashley, one of Clinton's pioneer merchants; William Marvin Gaddie, baby son of F. D. Gaddie, merchant, and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, wife of John Ed Jackson, miller.

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Personally appeared before me, this March 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of February, 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

## Daily Thought.

Courage consists not in blindly overlooking danger but in meeting it with the eyes open.—Richter.

It is time now to inaugurate a general movement to take down the fences all over the city. Nothing would add more to the beauty of Paducah than this one thing. Take the fences down and the people would take more pride in their yards and gardens, which are attractive features of any city. The mayor should set aside a day for everyone to take down their fences, and start the movement for "a city beautiful!" call on all and every one to plant more shade trees, clean up their yards and in every way possible add to the beauty of the city. Arbor day is only a few days off, so let the school children celebrate the day by planting trees wherever they are needed, and make this an annual custom, as it is in most cities, and before many years Paducah will take rank as a city of shade trees. The residents along the streets that have been improved the last few years, should, especially, plant trees in the plots alongside the pavements as the city seems indifferent to it, and in this way add to the appearance of those streets.

New York City through her grand juries has decided to fully investigate the insurance scandals developed by the state legislative investigation of the latter part of last year. There will, of course, be another rattling of dry bones among the alleged big rascals and their allies developed by the investigation specified and, if justice is due, some of the gang if not all of them will change their abodes from palaces bought with stolen lucre to state penitentiary cells created for their kind. The threatened trials will be watched with interest.

The suggestion contained in a petition to be presented to the council by property owners on First street between Jefferson and Broadway, that the Illinois Central be directed to construct a viaduct over the foot of Jefferson street, and thus open up that thoroughfare to the rivers, is an excellent one, and should have the prompt consideration of the council. The river front is being rapidly congested, and this would relieve it, to a marked degree.

The senate may during this week get to a vote on the rate bill. The end of contention over the bill will be hailed with much satisfaction by the people because of the evident fact that much important litigation has been delayed by the act blocking the way. The rate bill has all but been talked to death and amended into worthlessness.

The white-winged angel of peace having ruled the Algerias confer-

ence, France and Germany will not go to war, as has been feared somewhat in Europe. Once more America has, through wise diplomacy won the plaudits of the Eastern world and prevented what once promised to be a general disturbance across the pond.

The contemplated change in the rules of the council to facilitate legislation is a wise one and one that should have been made a long time ago. It requires altogether too much time to get any measure through, and this has been accountable for a great deal of delays in street and other improvements, as well as in other legislative measures.

The extra session of the legislature is over. It ceased after it did the state all the harm possible in all the ways which could be thought of. The state may recover from the injuries but it will be some time doing so. The people have much to remember and many scores to repay at the next election.

Not for Municipal Ownership.  
(Courier-Journal.)

The general committee of Tammany, on motion of Mr. Bourke Cochran, adopted a series of resolutions which indicate that the support of that organization cannot be had for municipal ownership. Here is a specimen of what they contain:

"Whether a public utility be administered by government itself, or by a private corporation, we hold that every person who uses it should be held to pay the cost of the service which he receives, and that no man should be compelled by taxation or otherwise to bear any part of his neighbors expense for light and power, for telephone service or for transportation of himself or his goods."

"Every proposal that a municipality assume operation of all public utilities and reduce rates to persons using them, regardless of what the service may actually cost, is an attempt to force some men to bear the expenses of others, because where the outlay for operation exceeds earnings, the deficit must be made up by taxation, and this we denounce as socialistic, and therefore hostile to justice and subversive of democratic government."

This means that the advocates of municipal ownership are not to have the co-operation of Tammany in the coming campaign.

## The Texas Wonder

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## For the Family of James Howard.

(From the Louisville Evening Post.)  
The appeal for the family of James Howard should not pass unheeded. Howard has been convicted of killing Goebel. The evidence on which he was convicted was chiefly that of Yontsey. It is a strange, to us it is an incredible story. The last appeal has been made, and it has been denied, and Howard now goes to the penitentiary for life.

That imprisonment leaves his family helpless. Mrs. Howard and her mother have given all they possess to aid James Howard in his various trials. They are now penniless.

The appeal therefore is for assistance for Mrs. Howard and her three children. They are the victims of these strange adventures. They at least are innocent, whatever opinion one may have of Howard's guilt. Surely the people of Kentucky, exacting of Howard the penalty the law imposes, will not carry the punishment to his wife and children. The state may not take into account these consequences, but the people of the state may not be deaf to this appeal.

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## TOBACCO SALES.

The New Graham Warehouse Had Its First Today.

The first tobacco sales at public auction were held this morning in the Graham warehouse.

There were 60 hogsheds offered for sale and the prices were good. Lugs brought \$4.25 to \$5.75, an average of \$4.85. Leaf brought from \$5.50 to \$9.00, an average of \$7.00.

Sales will probably be held at all the warehouses next week, certainly at one or two. The attendance today was good and the bidding lively.

Harbour's Millinery Opening Thursday and Friday, 29th and 30th, will be an event of great interest to the ladies of Paducah who care to dress well. All the new fads and fancies will be shown and it will do your heart good to see the display.

No. 2. The backboneless man—Always has to ask somebody's advice. If you ask about the Paducah Bullfrog Co. go to some one who knows and can tell you the truth. Lots of people have investigated the Co.

CHRISTMAS INCIDENT  
RECALLED BY SUITS

Damages Wanted for Killing of John Tice, Colored.

The Widow of I. C. Flagman Sues Officer Aaron Hurley and His Bondsmen.

FILED BY ATTORNEY WORTEN

Attorney J. M. Worten filed two suits today in the federal circuit court that will recall one of the most exciting incidents with which the local police department has had to contend and one of the most thrilling in the city's history.

The style of the suits are Minnie Tice vs. Aaron Hurley and The Title Guaranty and Trust company of Pennsylvania, and one is for \$5,000 and the other for \$10,000.

Minnie Tice is the widow of John Tice, who was the flagman at the I. C. railroad crossing shot and killed on Christmas day last in a battle with police officers and citizens. The \$10,000 suits is for the death of Tice and is brought under section four of the Kentucky statutes, which says, in part, The widow and minor child of either or both, of the person killed by the careless, wanton or malicious use of firearms, may have action against the person who committed the killing and all others aiding or promoting, or anyone or more of them.

In her petition the widow sets forth that Hurley, acting as a police officer, and pretending to be in the discharge of his duties, together with six or eight other police officers, and aided by a posse of citizens of the city of Paducah consisting of two or three hundred people, arrested her husband, and in the arrest by the careless and wanton use of firearms shot and wounded him, from the results of which he died, and that it was not done in self defense. She states that the deceased was in the flagman's tower, and there was no way to get out, and that he made no attempt to escape, but was merely coming down through the trap door; that he was a cripple, having only one leg, but, failing to come down, two or three hundred shots were fired into the tower and five or six of them took effect in his body, resulting in his death. She claims that he was earning a salary of \$30 a month and was able to continue to do so, and that by his death she is deprived of support and damaged to the extent of \$10,000.

In the other suit, which is for \$5,000 and for false arrest, she pleads that she heard of the attempted arrest of her husband and the shooting, and she was making an effort to get to him in the tower; that she succeeded and found him lying prostrate, when Hurley assaulted her, beating and bruising her with his pistol and "billy," and using rough and insulting language; that she was arrested, put in the patrol wagon and carried to the city hall, where she was confined, and bail denied her, until the following day, when she was released without any trial. She says Hurley had no authority to arrest her; that she had violated no law, and that he had no warrant from judge or magistrate, and also no grounds for believing she had violated any law; that her application for bond was denied, and by virtue of such arrest, assault, and insults she was caused great degradation, mental anguish, physical pain, and humiliation and damaged to the extent of \$5,000.

The facts in the case are very familiar to everyone, and the incident mentioned caused a great deal of excitement and anxiety at the time, and the spreading of all sorts of reports about a race war and threatened trouble of different nature.

Tice, it will be recalled, had had some difficulty with a white boy, and passed some words with him, when a white man took up the boy's part, and, it is alleged, Tice shot at the man. This led to a general fusillade which was joined in by police officers and citizens in general, and when the smoke of the battle was over Tice was found dying in the flag house, and Officer James Clark, who was

one of the first of the officers to appear on the scene, shot in the knee and so badly wounded that he is to this day laid up with the injury.

Clark had ordered the flagman down, and not coming, the officer started up the ladder leading to the flagman's house to arrest him, when Tice opened his trap door and shot the officer. This, in fact, led to the fusillade.

When Tice was taken to the city hall it was with difficulty that the mob that had gathered was restrained from doing him further injury, and there was a good deal of unrest throughout the city all Christmas day. Tice died the following morning at the city hospital, and just before his death gave out a statement to Dr. Frank Boyd in which he said he had killed himself.

The case is brought in the federal court as the plaintiff is a resident of Tennessee. The court convenes April 16th.

## PADUCAH NAMED

AS HEADQUARTERS FOR STATE OF N. R. L. C. ASSOCIATION.

Charter Received Today With Pleasure By the Local Members, Who Feel Honored.

Paducah has been made the headquarters of the state for "The National Rural Letter Carriers' Association of the United States of America," and the charter for the local state organization arrived this morning. This is an honor of no small degree.

There are six rural carriers working out of Paducah and they are charter members, of course, of the local lodge or branch of the association. The national association of rural carriers was organized in August, 1905 and has grown rapidly ever since. At present there are no separate state lodges in Kentucky and Paducah will be the first to organize, it is said. The charter for the local association arrived this morning and was turned over to the rural carriers by Mr. Fred Ashton, inspector of carriers.

The rural carriers here who are members of the association are Messrs. A. W. Meacham, John B. Clark, L. B. Shemwell, E. L. Francis, Homer Graham and Moses Rice. They will begin meeting at once and will urge and interest other districts to organize.

The local carriers appreciate the favor shown them and will write a letter of thanks to the national association headquarters at once.

## RIVER NEWS

The river rose .3 last night, the gauge today registering 28.6.

The Dick Fowler got away on time for Cairo today.

The Joe Fowler was the Evansville packet today.

The City of Savannah has laid up at St. Louis on account of business conditions and will await an improvement before coming out again.

The Clyde is loading to get away at 6 tonight. She will have a big trip. Capt. A. W. Right, formerly on the Duffy, is in command in the place of Capt. W. T. Hunter.

The Georgia Lee left Memphis yesterday and is due up for Cincinnati Thursday evening.

The Peters Lee left Cincinnati yesterday and is due down for Memphis Saturday.

In 1852 Morton & Johnson, of Cincinnati, established a shipyard at the mouth of Paddy's Run, below West Louisville. They built a big sawmill and moved a floating sectional dry dock there from Cincinnati. They built the first Princess there for the New Orleans and Vicksburg trade. In launching her they had much trouble as she broke down and settled in the mud, after getting badly wrenched and twisted.—Courier-Journal.

Interesting Protracted Meeting to Begin at Broadway M. E. Church.

Rev. J. W. Blackard, D. D., will preach at the Broadway Methodist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. It will be the opening service of the protracted meeting which begins this week. Rev. J. B. Culpepper, of Iuka, Miss., who is to assist Rev. T. J. Nowell in the revival, will arrive in town for tomorrow night's service.

The members of the church are expected to be present this evening, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public generally.

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## "RED'S" GOOD WORK

FINN THINKS HE HAS A FIND IN BOHANNAN.

Manager Lloyd Holds a String on the Ex-Paducahan, However, It Seems.

Evidently Micky Finn, manager of the Nashville Southern league team, thinks he has a find in "Red" Bohannan who saved the day for Nashville last week in a battle with Vanderbilt college team with a home run, bringing in three men who filled the bases after two men were out.

Manager Harry Lloyd, of the Paducah team, sold Bohannan to Nashville and there is something like \$200 due on the transaction. Finn evidently wants to strike a compromise and trade Johnnie Duggan, last year of Vincennes, to Lloyd for the balance of the money, but Lloyd says that if Duggan is not to be used by Nashville that Vincennes ought to have refusal of the twirler and that he will not trade.

"I have two men offered me by Finn and five by the manager of the Birmingham, Ala., Southern league team," Lloyd stated. "I will have plenty of players to select from. I have signed Del Tadlock, of Odell, Ill., last year premier pitcher in the trolley league, and he is a comer. Weldon South writes me that he is in fine condition and with Brahe and these two and a pick from half a dozen other pitchers, we will have a staff any team should be proud of. As to the other players we have them too. Just wait for the season, to open and the Indians will have a supply of war paint on to show the other Kitten league teams."

The park is being repaired as fast as the weather will permit and will be in shape for the coming of the team April 10th.

Buck Freeman, who was so popular with local fans when a member of the Paducah team, is in Evansville to do work this year with the club of that city. Admirers here will keep tab on him though he is to be away from their sight this year.

Another ex-Paducah ballist the locals will hear of with pleasure is Bobby Barlow. He has been signed by Pat McAndrews to play this year with the Keokuk, Ia., team.

Harbour's Millinery Opening Thursday and Friday, 29th and 30th, will be the grandest display of fine Pattern Hats and Smart Tailored Hats ever shown in Paducah. You are cordially invited to come and bring all your friends. Music in the afternoon.

## COUNTY ROAD WORK

Will Probably Cause Controversy in the Fiscal Court.

From indications there will be some controversy in the fiscal court relative to the reduction of the county tax rate from 80 to 75 cents, as suggested by County Judge Lightfoot.

The Commercial club has proposed to keep the rate where it is and use that 5 per cent intended reduction this year for improving county roads. Road Supervisor Bert John on thinks that he can gravel every foot of road in the county in five years if he has the 5 per cent to use and will so report to the board.

County Judge Lightfoot, on the other hand, does not approve of it. He thinks the best advertisement the county can have is a reduction in tax rate, but this, he says, does not carry with it cessation of road improvements.

He thinks there will still be plenty of money in the road fund for carrying on the work. The roads, Judge Lightfoot says, are now in excellent condition and need little repairing, and the money not expended in repairs can be used in making new gravel roads.

No. 10. The fool — thinks a thing worthless or it wouldn't be offered to him. We can think of no argument for No. 10. We have no time to tell him of Paducah Bullfrog. Too many intelligent business men are buying stock at 45 cents to fool with Mr. Fool. We pass him up.

## NICE CONTRACT.

Rudy, Phillips & Co. Get Contracts for Palmer House Curtains.

Rudy, Phillips & Co. were today awarded the contract for new shades for every room in the Palmer house. Bids were solicited from all of the local houses and opened this morning and awarded by Manager Frank Murphy. It is the largest order of the sort ever given in the city, and a coup for the firm that secured it.

No. 3. The only honest man — must have the control, no one else honest enough. The Paducah Bullfrog Co. was organized by good honest men for the legitimate purpose of mining. Investigate them.

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

He Wants Niagara Falls Protected By the Law.

Washington, March 28.—In submitting to the senate and the house the report of the members of the international waterways commission regarding the preservation of Niagara Falls, President Roosevelt sent a recommendation that a law be enacted along the lines of the recommendation of the report. The report of the commission has been published. The message of the president follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives: I submit to you here with the report of the American members of the international waterways commission regarding the preservation of Niagara Falls. I also submit to you certain letters from the secretary of state and the secretary of war, including memoranda showing what has been attempted by the department of state in the effort to secure the preservation of the falls by treaty.

I earnestly recommend that congress enact into law the suggestions of the American members of the international waterways commission for the preservation of Niagara Falls without waiting for the negotiations of a treaty. The law can be put in such form that it will lapse, say in three years, provided that during

that time no international agreement has been reached. But in any event I hope that this action will make it evident that it is doing all in its power to preserve the great scenic wonder, the existence of which, unharmed, should be a matter of pride to every dweller on this continent.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.  
The White House, Mar. 27, 1906.

## JUDGE SANDERS STILL SICK.

Pro Tem Judge Cross Holding Police Court In His Stead.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders is yet unable to be at his office, as he is still suffering from an attack of la grippe. Special Judge, D. A. Cross is attending to the duties as judge of the police court.

The docket was very light again this morning, being composed of but two cases.

Drew Dunlap, colored, charged with mistreating his wife, was fined \$30 and costs.

Fred Collins and P. C. Gibson, white, were fined \$3 and costs each for using insulting language in public.

Millions blocked out on Bonanza, Montgomery and Ladd Mountains in the Bullfrog District. Buy stock in the Paducah Bullfrog at 15 cents per share before the advance, April 1st.



## THE GILLETTE WAY

## SELF SHAVING

NO STROPPING—NO HONING  
To shave yourself is an easy accomplishment if you use a Gillette Safety Razor. We have them in triple silver plated.

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If you will use one of our Safe Kut Corn Razors they will relieve you. Removes callous. Price 25 Cents

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SIGN OF THE HIGHWAY—422-424 BROADWAY



ISN'T it about time you were getting yourselves good and ready for Easter? Stop to think of it: Just two weeks and a little more then you'll be on dress parade—provided you have the pretty dress to wear.

You can get a very neat little Panama Suit in gray, Alice, Receda, navy or black with silk lining for \$16.50.

Another very pretty style in all the new colors in the Panama cloths, strictly man tailored, can be had of us for \$22.50.

We have just received a lot of those pretty models, taken from the original French styles, in checks and stripes, and made of imported cloths, all sizes, that will be sold from \$27.50 to \$50.

Some very pretty well things in Silk Suits in cotton or shirt waist style from \$12.50 to \$30.00.

317 **Levy's** 317  
BROADWAY PADUCAH BROADWAY

## LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.

—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kreutzer, of 1044 Clay street, a boy.

—Fresh tube roses and cadadium bulbs at Brunson's.

—Trustees Cecil Reed and A. Y. Martin yesterday filed a petition in the bankrupt matter of H. T. Hessig asking for a sale of saloon fixtures in the "Blue Ribbon" saloon. A mortgage for \$900 is held on the fixtures by the Evansville Brewing Association. The petition will be heard April 7.

—Ask your grocer for Kirchhoff's Butternut bread. Something new.

—Dr. Hicks offices 699 Broadway. Phone 432. Residence 1627 Broadway. Phone 1289.

—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Globe Wernicke Filling cases and all supplies that go with card index system and a complete line of other office supplies at R. D. Clements & Co.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub Co.

—People who have patronized transfer companies elsewhere will bear us out in the statement, that our service is second to none and prices lower for like service, than in any city. Let us serve you. Palmer Transfer Co.

—George Stacey, the fog horn voiced newspaper vender, reports the theft or loss of his purse containing \$1.40 Sunday. Stacey has a stand in front of the Cochran shoe store and while making change missed the pocket book which he had laid down to count change in his hands.

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## People and Pleasant Events

### Delightful Organ Recital.

The informal organ recital given last evening at Temple Israel by Mr. Harry Gilbert, was in especial compliment to Miss Lucille Lamb, of Paris, Tenn., who is visiting in the city.

It was a very delightful affair and every number in the attractive program was greatly enjoyed by the music-lovers present. Mr. Gilbert was assisted by Miss Anne Bradshaw, Mr. Robert Scott, Mr. R. D. MacMillen, Mr. Richard Scott and Mr. Emmet Bagby in solos.

Several of the pieces sung were compositions of Mr. Gilbert, and these had especial encores. Mr. Gilbert, also, played some of his own compositions in the organ numbers he rendered.

### Box Supper Social.

Miss Bessie Smalley will give a box supper for the Third street Methodist church Friday night at her home on South Fourth street. Each young lady of the church will bring a box of luncheon which the young men will buy. This is a very unique and enjoyable method of raising funds for the church and Sunday school.

### P. H. G. L. Club Entertained.

Miss Ruby Meyers, of 1166 South Fourth street, entertained the P. H. G. L. club last night. Two contests were enjoyable features of the evening and the prizes in the first contest was won by Mr. Ernest Bell and Miss Inez Bell. The prize in the second was captured by Miss Mary Fields.

### Magazine Club.

Miss Henrietta Koger, of Jefferson street is the hostess of the Magazine club tomorrow at her home. Scribner's, Cosmopolitan, Century, Bookman, Booklover, Everybody and Literary Digest will be discussed.

### Matinee Musical Club.

The Matinee Musical club is meeting this afternoon in the parlors of the Eagle club house on Broadway. An attractive Chopin program is being rendered by a number of the club's notable talent.

Mr. Guy Rollston, of The Sun, left the city last night for a visit among friends in Washington and New York, and to enjoy a several weeks' vacation.

Circuit Judge Wm. Reed went to Louisville today at noon on business. Mr. J. F. Harth left today for Atlanta, Ga., and other Southern cities in the interest of the Harth Bros. Grain company.

Mr. Edward Hanson has returned from St. Louis.

Mr. Pete Smith, the leatherworker, continues improving after an illness of some time. He suffered a paralytic stroke.

Miss Jeannette Hecht, of St. Louis, is visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Mabel Russell has gone to Earlinton, Ky., to visit.

Mr. Robert Black has gone to Golconda, Ill., on business.

Mrs. Jake Friedman will leave Friday for Evansville, Ind., to visit relatives.

Constable A. C. Shelton, who is suffering from rheumatism, is reported better.

Advance Agent F. T. Rice, of the Cole Brothers circus is in the city.

Attorney Thomas Crice and Mr. H. H. Loving left yesterday for Louisville.

Mr. Max Wolff, the whisky drummer, has returned from a Southern tour.

Mr. Jesse Benson has returned from Memphis, where he was called by the illness of his father, James Benson, who is slightly improved.

Mr. Benson suffered a paralytic stroke.

Mr. J. Andy Bauer and daughters leave Los Angeles, Cal. next Tuesday for home after a three months' absence. They will arrive here about the 15th of April.

Railroad Commissioner Mac D. Ferguson, of LaCenter, is in the city on business.

Mrs. J. C. Martin, of this city, arrived yesterday morning from a three weeks' visit to relatives and friends in Louisville and Indianapolis.

Mr. Victor Van de Male has recovered after a brief illness, and was on the street yesterday.

Mrs. Wilford Rogers, of 12th and Broadway, is reported no better today.

Dr. Wm. Wallon and Dr. Eugene Corlis, of Brookville, Ky., were in the city yesterday. They expect to locate here.

Mr. Joseph Rollston, of the Davis tin and sheet metal works, is ill of threatening pneumonia.

Supt. Pat Halloran, of the Katterjohn Construction works, is here from Cedar Bluff. It is his first visit since his two months' tour through the West.

Irene Rodfus, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. C. M. Rodfus, is ill with fever at the family residence, Third and Kentucky avenue.

## SANITARY MEASURES

### BOARD OF HEALTH PREPARING TO GIVE BEST OF LAWS.

Member Sights Talks of the Proposed New Parks and Favors Central Locations.

Dr. H. P. Sights, who is a member of the board of health, and as such is taking a great deal of interest in the health conditions of the city, has received the health ordinances of most of the cities in this country, in response to his applications for them, and has brought them before the members of the board for their consideration, with the view of getting those best suited to the local conditions and having similar laws drawn for Paducah.

The members of the board have selected a good many they want put into force in Paducah, and Dr. Sights had a consultation with City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., today to have him draw up the ordinances, and it is proposed to put them before the council Monday night.

The board is doing excellent work and the fruits of it are noticeable. They intend to keep up the good work already done, and to that end the members are giving it a good deal of attention.

"I am glad to see we are promised some parks," said Dr. Sights today. "Parks will do more to add to the health of Paducah and its citizens than any other one thing we can do, aside, of course, from proper sewerage system installation and maintenance. It gives the people an inducement to get out doors, which is the very first essential of good health. My only hope is when we lay out our parks that we locate them in the heart of the city districts, within walking distances, so everyone can get to them without any expense, and they will thus be used and serve the purpose for which they are intended—getting the people and the babies, especially, out of doors."

"New York's greatest asset is Central park. It is located in the heart of the city, and is therefore a very valuable site, and some people wonder it is reserved on that account for a park, but whatever its value might be for commercial uses, it is more valuable as a park, easily of access as it is, than it would be for any other use."

"Give Paducah some parks equally as well located, and you will see better health for our people, and a general uplift in their condition."

## HOME MISSION SOCIETIES.

### In Annual Session At the Madison Heights Methodist Church.

Memphis, Tenn., March 28.—The annual meeting of the Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist Conference, Methodist Episcopal church, South, opened at 4 o'clock yesterday at the Madison Heights church and will be in session four days.

Mrs. Sue F. Mooney, of Dresden, the president of the society, and some 100 delegates and visitors from West Tennessee and Southwestern Kentucky, are on hand.

Addresses will be made by several well known visitors from Nashville, including Miss Estelle Hoskins, organizer of the city mission work; Mrs. J. H. Yarborough, superintendent of the department of supplies for needy preachers, schools and orphanages, and Rev. J. A. Burrow, editor of the Midland Methodist. The year has been a prosperous one for the society, and the reports are expected to be of an interesting character.

The opening sermon was preached at 7:30 last night by Rev. E. B. Ramsey, the pastor of the Madison Heights church.

Mrs. J. M. Gentry, of the Trimble Street Methodist church left yesterday to attend the conference. Mrs. Charles Johnston and Mrs. F. M. McGlathery are delegates from the Broadway Methodist church.

## County Court.

One of the quickest settlements of an estate on record was made this morning in County Judge R. T. Lightfoot's court.

The estate of Dora Wesson was settled in full in thirty minutes and without a hitch in the work. The deceased died in Tennessee near Camden, Benton county, and left \$640, her estate, in the bank in Paducah.

Clarence M. Hawkins, of Nashville, arrived this morning, qualified as administrator and signed the necessary papers taking charge of the estate. He later made out papers and transferred the estate to the trustee and receiver A. G. McDaniel, of Camden, Tenn., and the transaction was closed.

John Herzog deeds to W. M. Milliken, for \$2,391, property in the county.

E. W. Smith gives to E. P. Noble power of attorney.

Nettie Champion qualified this morning as the guardian for Alfred A. Downs.

—The Clark railroad now being built from Los Vegas to the Bullfrog district will reach Rhyolite by June 1. Buy Bullfrog stock at 15 cents a share.

## Ask Your Doctor

To leave your prescriptions at McPherson's drug store. We have inaugurated a messenger service, and will deliver your prescriptions any where in the city within 30 minutes after we get them. When the doctor asks you where you get your medicines say frankly, "McPherson's Drug Store," and then have him phone the prescription to us. By adopting the quick delivery service we can give everybody in Paducah the advantage of our lifetime experience, and the individual guarantee which goes with every prescription.

ASK THE DOCTOR  
McPHERSON'S  
DRUG STORE

# As the Heart

Drives the blood into every portion of your body so does

## THE ICE

force the pure fresh ice cold air into every nook and corner of

# Hart's Refrigerator

and compels a constant, complete circulation; subjects every article of food to a pure spray of healthful oxygen, forcing all disease germs entirely out, leaves the food pure, sweet and healthy with the natural flavor absolutely true.

## PRICE RITE

# GEO. O. HART & SONS CO.

## TIPS.

MITCHELL'S for high-grade bicycles. 326 South Third.

WANTED—Setting hens. Old phone 1868.

GOOD HOUSE BOY—Wanted. Apply at 1455 Broadway.

HEATING and stove wood, Frank Levin, both phones, 437.

FOR RENT—Rooms to gentlemen. Old phone 613-w.

FOR SALE—Household furniture at 226 South Fourth St.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Apply at 502 South Ninth.

UMBRELLA repairing and covering neatly done, 108 1/2 S. Third St.

OVERSTREET, the painter. Old phone 2305.

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Old phone 2288.

WILLIAMS, 538 S. Third. Furniture bought, sold and repaired. New phone 900-a.

FOR RENT—Two nice furnished rooms with bath and modern conveniences. Apply 918 Broadway.

ALL KINDS of brick work done cheap. N. Rouleau, 1317 Trimble street. Old phone 1915.

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, with bath and modern conveniences, 123 N. Seventh street.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, cheap. If sold at once. Victor H. Thomas. Phone 53-r and 2174, 311 Broadway.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Buggy and double buggy harness. Would trade for cow. Call old phone 2370.

CLEANING and pressing neatly done. James Duffey, old phone 1616-r.

FOR RENT—Five rooms over Kamleiter's grocery. Apply to Henry Kamleiter.

WANTED—Boards at the old reliable Best House, 315 South Second street. Anna Kennedy.

WANTED—Position as stenographer or office girl. Address A., care this office.

GEORGE & M'CORMACK—Upholstering. General repairing. Crating a specialty, corner Third and Adams. New phone 1025, Old phone 159-r.

WANTED—Two solicitors. Good proposition to right parties. Apply to B. R. Dooms & Co., 1404 South Third street.

J. E. MORGAN, blacksmith, 409 S. Third. Old phone 457. Superior work guaranteed. Exclusive agent for floor stone side wire tires, the best rubber tires made.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 890 Jefferson street.

FOR WASH paper cleaning old phone 2220.

UPHOLSTERING and furniture repaired. Called for and delivered. Old phone 937-r. New phone 594.

BOUGENO BROS.—Contractors and builders, repair and cabinet work crating and packing. Shop 307 Ky. Ave., phone 54.

FOR RENT—Four room house, sewer connections, corner 3rd and Tennessee. Apply H. A. Petter's store or 1253 Ky. Ave.

FOR SALE—All my Paducah real estate, at bargain prices. Terms to suit purchaser. Phone 231. J. M. Worter.

FOR SALE—After March 25 will sell thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock eggs at \$2 per 13; also a few Cockerels at \$5 each. Phone 1427.

FOR RENT—Modern 8-room house, all improvements and furnace, No. 802 Broadway. Apply Geo. Langstaff, Business phone 26, residence phone 308.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, with lady's photograph in front, side view. Silk fob with anvil charm engraved on bottom, O. A. T. Return to O. A. Tate Fifth and Jefferson, and receive reward.

Wants to Come Back. Manager Harry Lloyd has a letter from Jim McClain or "Brownie," as he is better known here. He is willing now to come to Paducah to play and wants to report at once.



# GREAT SALE!

## Wall Paper Store Moved to 315 Broadway

To advertise our new place of business I offer this great sale of Wall Paper at manufacturers' prices. This sale begins

**March 26**

ending Saturday, March 31. It has been said that great opportunities come to every one, but most people fail to take advantage of them. Such wall paper opportunities as this sale affords are not likely to exist again for many house cleaning times. Now is the time to buy. Shrewd buyers don't give other people much time to get ahead of them when such bargains as these are offered:

5c Paper at.....2 1/2 c per roll  
8c Paper at.....5c per roll  
10c Paper at.....7c per roll  
15c Paper at.....12c per roll

We carry a large and complete line of Picture Frames, Moulding and Window Shades in all colors and made to order in any size. We also carry a large line of Roofing and Building Papers, Canvas, Tax

People of taste always come to us to find what they want.

**Remember the Date and Place**  
**March 26 to 31**

### C. C. LEE

Moved to 315 Broadway

## NEW ORDINANCES

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETS TO INSTRUCT DRAFTING OF NEW ACTS.

The Street Car Track Franchise, Street Paving and Other Measures Ordered Drafted.

The joint committee of the legislative boards met with Mayor Yeiser and Solicitor James Campbell in the board of public works' office last night for the purpose of outlining ordinances to be presented to the boards within the next few weeks.

The solicitor was instructed to bring in an ordinance for the sale of a franchise to lay additional street car tracks. This is the measure necessary for the Paducah Traction company to extend its lines. The proposed routes of improvement carry the tracks over several streets which are to be paved and all concrete, in fact the entire additional expense in putting in the tracks is to be paid by the Traction company. On streets to be graveled the company shall fill in with good gravel inside the tracks, and one foot from each side on the outside. Manager John S. Blecker, of the Traction company, was present and expressed a willingness to comply with all requirements of the ordinance.

The solicitor was ordered to bring in ordinances for the improvement of Salem and Hampton avenues, in the Western north side addition. The streets are to be improved by grading and graveled at the cost of the abutting property owners. When the addition was platted and the streets turned over to the city, Mr. Worten had graveled the streets but it is claimed by some that the gravel was not properly put down and is too thin. It is not thought that property owners will object to paying for their share of the improvement work. All new work in street improving is paid for by the property owners and the only question to settle is if the gravel spread by Mr. Worten can be termed an improvement to the street—the first graveled.

The solicitor was also instructed to bring in ordinances for the improvement of streets outlined by the boards at the Monday night meeting, to be improved with the remainder of the bond money.

The solicitor was further ordered to draft an ordinance giving the board of public works absolute control of the telephone company improvement work so far as the planting of "dead men" or guy wires is concerned. Some times the "dead men" and guy wires are planted on public property and not according to the requirements of the existing ordinance.

"To Cure a Felon," says Sam. Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "Just cover it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest." Quickest cure for Burns, Boils, Sores, Scalds, Wounds, Piles, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Chapped Hands, Sore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at McPherson's drug store. Guaranteed.

—Paducah Bullfrog company offers a fair and square deal, stock held for the purpose of developing valuable mining properties. 15 cents per share until April 1.

—Paducah Bullfrog Gold Mining Co.'s stock sold at 15 cents per share par value \$1.00 full paid and non-assessable, until April 1.

## A WORD

A word about fruit: Every one knows at this season good fruit is hard to obtain. We have a line of the best on the market. If the kind you want is not here you can't find it.

**Stutz's Columbia**

Palmer Horse Corner, Phone 94.

## WHITE SAPPHIRES

By POMONA PENRIN

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I waited until Gabrielle's little left hand lay upon the hammock's edge, temptingly near, and then I slipped on the hoop of pearls. We had been engaged almost two months, but it had been a ringless engagement, because Gabrielle said that a ring was extravagant.

"John," she cried now, "why—oh, you shouldn't!"

"But I should," I persisted. "Besides, I doubt if betrothals are legal without rings."

"I love pearls," said Gabrielle, but there was a little pucker in her forehead that nature had set there to warn me—and other men, alas—when she was not quite pleased. I watched her in secret alarm. In spite of her protests, then, she would have preferred a diamond.

"No, I wouldn't," she said positively when I said so. "Really, I wouldn't."

"Wondering what?" demanded I, impatiently.

"Everybody will have to know now," the truth came. "Everybody will see it on my finger."

"Well," said I in relief, "that's what I want."

"Not right away—you know we said not right away," said Gabrielle hastily.

I looked away through the vines of the veranda and glowered at all the sunny world. Gabrielle's "not right away" was disquietingly elastic. She had been using that phrase for two months.

"I'll tell you," she solved the matter brightly, "when we go to places I won't wear it on this finger—for a little while, you know, John. I'll just wear it on this finger—for us."

Gabrielle was never so alluring, but I hardened my heart.

"So," I said, without looking at her, "the reason that you said a ring was an extravagance was because you did not want Mr. Algernon Phelps and the rest of them to know. I hadn't thought of that."

"Certainly it wasn't," flashed Gabrielle. "You are insanely suspicious, John. Algernon Phelps!" she finished. "He is quite old enough to be my father."

"He isn't old enough not to give you presents," said I, "which you have no right to accept."

Gabrielle looked at me in amazement. Well she might, for in those two months, despite the fact that I had bitterly resented the continual presence of big, devoted Mr. Algernon Phelps at their house, I had resolutely concealed it.

"John," she cried, "how ridiculous! He is mother's friend."

"And in love with you," I grimly supplemented.

Gabrielle laughed—a ringing, adorable little laugh that made me wish our engagement had never come between us. We were perfectly happy before we were engaged.

"That's very funny," said Gabrielle frankly. "He has given me presents since I was six. However, that isn't the point. I'll wear the ring on the right finger—I mean on the right left finger—really I will, dear. I'll wear it to the Holdons' tonight."

"Will you, sweetheart?" said I, puffed, "and will you want to, Gabrielle?"

"Of course I want to wear it with all my heart," she said simply.

She spread her two little hands on her blue muslin gown and looked at them, and then I caught sight of the other ring. She wore on her right hand a magnificently carved bit of gold, set with three exquisite white sapphires.

"Gabrielle!" I cried, "Where?"

She smiled at me serenely without moving her hands.

"Mr. Phelps bought it this morning," she said. "I've been waiting for you to notice it."

I sank to the depths of despair. It was not only that the ring was far more beautiful than the little circlet of pearls that I had selected, but it had been brought to her by that man—the great, devoted creature whom I liked in spite of his fondness for Gabrielle—on the very day that we had come into possession of our engagement ring.

"Isn't it beautiful?" Gabrielle appealed to me sweetly.

"It is," said I shortly.

Gabrielle looked first at one ring and then at the other, with charming partiality.

"Two new rings," she said musingly.

"Won't the girls envy me! What a pity that I will have to wear gloves at the Holdons' tonight!"

"Gabrielle!" I cried, "Surely you will never wear both rings today of all days?"

"Why not?" Gabrielle wanted to know wonderingly. "Oh, don't be stupid!" she cried prettily. "Why, what can you care for his ring, John? You might as well object to my wearing my baby's locket that he gave me when I was in pigtails. It's a beautiful ring—not nearly so beautiful as ours, but still beautiful, and I want to wear them both."

Really this was going too far. That "presents since I was six" matter could not much longer be tolerated. No man appears at a house morning, afternoon and evening, as Mr. Algernon Phelps appeared at the house of Gabrielle, in exactly the spirit in which he came bearing presents to her when she was six. And this final white sapphire indignity was not to be borne.

"Gabrielle," I said, in what I believed to be my sternest though most reasonable tone, "I cannot believe that you will be guilty of the—bad taste of wearing both those rings tonight, and I particularly wish you not to do so."

Gabrielle thought for a moment, and then she laughed, and then her pretty lips set themselves in an unmistakable line, and her eyes met mine fairly.

"John," she said, "I won't let you be so stupid. Don't you see—you dear, silly thing?" She laughed most heartily. "I wouldn't wear anybody else's ring with yours—but his."

As if that was extenuation. Matters were now twice as bad. I rose, it being very nearly dinner time anyway. I looked down at Gabrielle.

"That is just it," said I, with formality. "He is the exception to everything. I am wretched over this man's continual presence here, Gabrielle, and I ask you not to wear his ring tonight with mine. Leave one or the other at home, please—whichever you prefer."

As I stalked down the veranda steps I carried with me a picture of Gabrielle's bewitching, petulant face looking up at me in hurt surprise.

"It's the dearest ring, John," she called penitently, "the pearl one. Ours. Thank you, dear."

Then as I turned ready to take her in my arms in the friendly screen of the vines she rose and came to the steps, her little flowery blue gown trailing.

"But I shall wear them both tonight, Mr. John Baden," she said, with pretty mischief. "And you shall apologize too."

"Never," said I, with dignity, and came almost face to face with Gabrielle's mother idling up from the garden, looking a picture in white.

"What big, long words he uses!" cried Gabrielle's mother gaily.

"Mrs. Jocelyn," said I, "if Gabrielle becomes unmanageable will you marry me?"

Mrs. Jocelyn has been a widow for years.

"What commendable thrift for a rainy day!" she said, smiling.

For some reason the question of the white sapphire took on a significance out of all proportion. As I drove to Gabrielle's that evening our love, our future, even her adorableness, which I was never tired of reviewing, were of less moment to me than whether or not she would disregard my wishes about the ring. It seemed to me "one of those straws which tell the wind which way to blow." But I remembered with comfort that Gabrielle had an enchanting habit of obstinacy up to the moment of withdrawal in other people's favor. So as I sat opposite her and her mother on the way to the Holdons' I became comfortably, even triumphantly, sure that there were no white sapphires in the carriage.

When we went down to supper at midnight Mr. Algernon Phelps joined us with his unbearable manner of being wanted where, to be sure, he was wanted by every one but me. Was he, I wondered savagely, after we were married to persist in these visits and presents on the strength of "when Gabrielle was six?" Then I watched Gabrielle feverishly while she drew off the fingers of her gloves and tucked them daintily and with pretty deliberation in her long, loose glove wrists.

The left hand first, and there was my modest band of pearls suiting her delicate little hand to perfection. Then the right hand, and there blazed the white sapphires.

I looked away miserably—somewhere, anywhere. When I came to analyze it I did not care a continental about Mr. Algernon Phelps' white sapphires. I cared only that Gabrielle had not cared to please me.

"And the third one," Gabrielle was saying, "is going to be that new poppy figure. I've seen the favors for that. They are—why, John, what is it?"

"Nothing," said I miserably. She had not even done it to tease me purposely! There would have been some balm of bittersweet in that. My wishes had been simply neglected and forgotten. She did not even trouble to triumph in having carried out her threat.

"Aren't you having a good time?" murmured Gabrielle anxiously.

Really, this was almost obtuse. For answer I stole one glance down at that little right hand and then buried my glances furiously in my salad.

"Oh," Gabrielle had a fascinating habit of starting a little laugh and then thinking better of it. She did this now and stopped to say in the softest little voice:

"You think that I don't love you?"

"You know it," said I, morbidly.

"I do"—still more softly. This would have been heaven had it not been for that stupid ring.

"I love you so much," she went on, "that it hurts me to have a secret from you. But I have had to—until tonight."

"With Mr. Phelps?" I wanted to know, grimly. He was talking with Mrs. Jocelyn and heard nothing.

"Yes," said Gabrielle, "and with some one else."

Not until I followed her glance did my eye fall upon the glittering little band of Gabrielle's mother. And on the third finger of her left hand was an exquisite ring of white sapphires and diamonds.

Gabrielle was watching me.

"You dear," she murmured, "haven't you guessed? Mr. Phelps brought her the ring today, and he gave me mine as a peace offering."

"They—you—them?" I wanted to know.

"They didn't want both engagements announced at once," said Gabrielle. "That is why I didn't want to wear the pearls. But I don't care really, John."

I looked over at pretty little Mrs. Jocelyn sitting contentedly beside Mr. Algernon Phelps and then down at Gabrielle, who was laughing at me.

"Neither do I care," I said rapturously.

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## THOUGHTFUL IOWANS

People of Three Towns in State Defeat Municipal Ownership.

Des Moines, Ia., March 28.—Municipal ownership was defeated in three Iowa towns, where it was admitted to the voters Monday. Waterloo voted down a proposition to purchase the waterworks. Webster City defeated public ownership of the gas plant, and Council Bluffs defeated the purchase of the waterworks. Mayor McRae, Democrat and exponent of municipal ownership, was re-elected in Council Bluffs. Mayor Rector, also exponent of municipal ownership, was re-elected in Waterloo.

In Des Moines, Mayor Hatter, Republican, was re-elected by a majority of about 350 over Charles O. Holly, the Democratic nominee. Mayor G. W. Sears, Democrat and exponent of the open town, defeated F. A. Sawyer, Republican, in Sioux City, by a majority of 159. Mayor Caster, Republican, was defeated by the Democrats in Burlington. Democrats and Republicans split even in electing Fort Dodge aldermen. Republicans were successful in Fairfield, Letts and Independence, while the Democratic ticket won in Boone, Eldora and West Union.

## Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O. was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health tonic on earth. 50c. Guaranteed by W. B. McPherson, druggist.

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## NO SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Speaker Cannon to Keep Expenditures Down This Session.

Washington, March 28.—The fate of the ship subsidy bill which has rested with Speaker Cannon so far as the house was concerned was virtually decided adversely last night when Representatives Littlefield, of Maine, and Green, of Massachusetts, had a conference with Mr. Cannon and failed to get a favorable expression from him. Speaker Cannon's desire to keep down expenditures at this session is the cause of his objection to the shipping bill. The position of democrats on the bill was defined by Representative Gilbert, of Kentucky, who made a strong speech against it several weeks ago.

At the Smoot hearing John G. Carle, attorney for those objecting to seating Smoot, made President Lafford, of the Brigham Young college, admit he favored polygamy.

"I believe plural marriage would solve many of the sociological problems of the day," said the witness.

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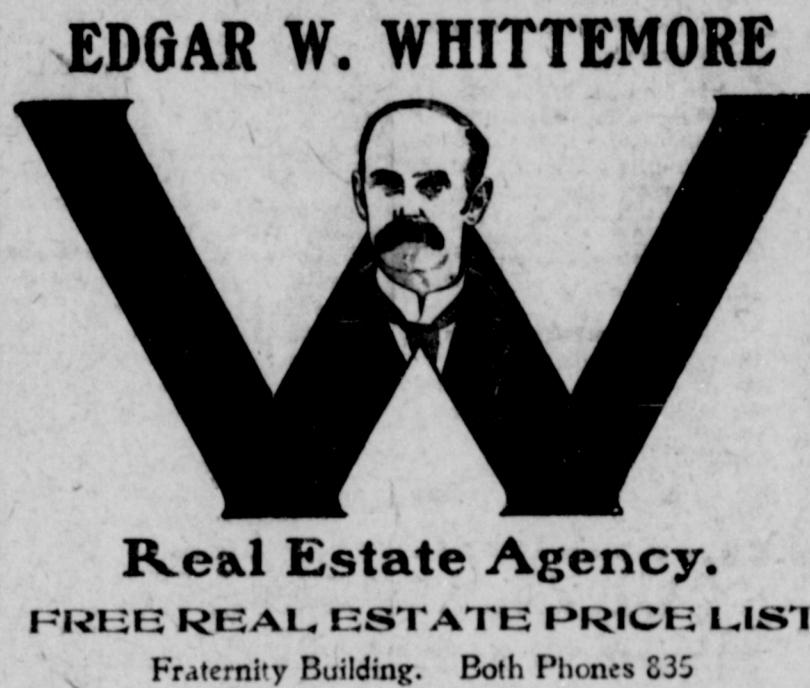
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**PROMPTER ACTION.**

No More Dragging of Ordinances Through Municipal Boards.

One of the rules on legislation to be adopted by the committee to which the matter of revising the municipal legislative rules was referred, will be an economical move in the passage of ordinances and resolutions.

At present it often requires as long as five weeks to pass ordinances. Under the new arrangement acts may be passed within the month and never longer. New ordinances are to be

given one reading in the lower board and presented to the aldermen at the first meeting following its initial adoption by the lower board. It will come before the council again the next regular meeting and follow in the aldermanic board the next meeting for final passage.

The committee is considering other changes and will have them all outlined this week to be presented Monday night at the council meeting.

**The Breath of Life.**

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by W. B. McPherson, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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### FINANCIAL REPORT.

#### Building Committee Hears Report of Expenditures on Elks' Home.

The building committee of the Elks met last night and heard reports on the progress of their Home which is being constructed on North Fifth between Broadway and Jefferson streets.

The report was made by Treasurer Sam B. Hughes and showed a total expenditure of \$12,000 out of \$42,000, leaving \$30,000 in the building fund with which to complete the Home. The work on the building will be pushed as fast as possible now that more favorable weather is promised.

The Elks will meet tomorrow night for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The nominations have been made during the past several meetings and the election will be an interesting one. Trustees to take the place of Dr. C. E. Whitesides, who has left the city, and Mr. Sam Hughes' position which expires this year, will be selected.

### A HACK WRECKED

#### Driven Off By Some Unknown Person It Is Thought.

Hack No. 85, of the Courtney Long stables, was totally wrecked last night between 6 and 7 o'clock on Kentucky avenue, in the rear of the High school building, and it is said that the accident is due to some unknown persons who drove the hack off from the front of Blackhall's saloon at Ninth and Kentucky avenue.

Gus Nolan, colored, was driving the Long stables and tied the team, which has heretofore been gentle, in front of the place. He was in but ten minutes and on coming out discovered the team gone. A search found the upturned hack back of the school house. The tracks showed the team to have been driven—it could not have run so carefully to the South Side and round Huntington Row to Kentucky avenue. The team struck a brick pile when wrecked. The horses escaped injury and were standing quietly near the wreck.

The affair is being investigated

and the persons who drove the horses off, if discovered, will be prosecuted. The damage to the hack will amount to many dollars. The hack will have to be practically rebuilt, it is said.

### DOCTORS TO MEET.

#### Meeting of County Society Tonight With Prominent Visitors.

The McCracken County Medical Society will meet tonight in regular session at the city hall and will have two prominent visitors in attendance, these being Dr. C. Z. Audwill, president of the state society, and Dr. W. W. Richmond, of Clinton, Ky., councillor for the first district.

On account of the visitors and the increased attendance, the meeting will be held at the city hall instead of in some physician's office. Papers will be read by Drs. L. Edwin Young, of the county, and Dr. Phil Stewart, of the city. The subjects will be "Some Preventives for Venereal Diseases."

There will be addresses by the two state officers which will be features of the meeting, and several out of town visitors are expected, among them being Drs. E. G. Thomas, of Harvey, Ky.; J. S. Stone, of Benton; S. Cohn, of Fulton, and several others. A large attendance of regular members from the county is expected.

### Visitors Returned.

The I. C. excursion train run into Paducah Monday night from Memphis to accommodate the negroes who desired to leave Memphis before the town sank or was engulfed by the Mississippi river, returned at midnight last night. There were 125 white excursionists among them.

It is said that some few colored visitors remained in Paducah, as they had become so frightened that they sold out all effects in Memphis and moved from that city for good. The excursion train officers reported little disorder on the trip coming here and expect little returning.

—The White Rock on Bonanza Mountain of the Paducah Bullfrog company will be developed into a paying mine. It is now surrounded by producing mines. Stock advances to 17½ cents per share April 1st. Buy now at 15 cents.

### PELL IN A FAINT

#### PILOT MULLENS OF TRANSFER DE KOVEN, OVERCOME.

#### Taken Ill While Landing Craft at Incline and Slight Disaster Results.

Capt. M. N. Mullens, pilot on the I. C. transfer boat De Koven, was taken suddenly ill yesterday afternoon as he was landing the big boat at the Paducah incline and fainted. The big boat veered to one side, struck the line of piling and wrecked the piling so as to make it impossible for a landing. Capt. Mullens recovered and tried to make the landing again but to no avail. He was ill and the incoming passenger train due at 3:30 remained on the boat, the passengers, mail and express matter being transferred to the bank.

Capt. Mullens was taken with a light chill yesterday afternoon but no one could be secured to fill his place. He bravely stood at his post and took the boat across to Brookport, making the landing and receiving the passenger train. He made the trip back but was seized by the fainting spell on reaching the shore. The big boat was consequently for a time without a guiding hand and was being lashed against the piling by the strong current.

Capt. Mullens recovered in a few hours and made the trip across again but landing at the incline here is an impossibility unless temporary repairs are made. This, it is said, may require some time, but in the meantime passengers will be accommodated by the transfer system. Capt. Mullens was better this morning and able to run his boat, but the company will secure another pilot until he fully recovers. Capt. J. M. Phillips, superintendent of floating stock of the I. C., was in Chicago and arrived this morning to look after the boat.

The boat was but slightly damaged by the accident and the passengers on the train were not aware of the boat having been loose without a pilot until it was all over. There was little danger, however, the railroad officials state.

### COURT HOUSE FENCE.

#### Fiscal Board Will Remove It When Stock Law Becomes Effective.

Since the appellate court's action on the town cow ordinance, sustaining the validity of the ordinance, residents have begun to plan improvements to yards and many fences will be taken down this spring.

The police have yet taken no action towards arresting cows, and it is probable that the matter will first be brought up in the legislative boards for some provision to be made regarding enforcing the ordinance. The public—that portion opposing the cows—is clamoring for an immediate enforcement of the law and one of the prime movers seems to be the county. It is said that the county fiscal board will remove the fence from the court house property, which will add much to the beauty of the court house yard.

Chief Collins has stated that he will wait for instructions before he proceeds to take any legal steps towards the town cow. These instructions will no doubt follow in time through the council and police and fire commission.

### THE SECRET ORDERS.

#### Inspection of the K.T. Commandery Last Night, Etc.

Inspector Kramer, of Lexington, Ky., last night made an inspection of the local commandery of Knights Templar and found the order to be in an excellent condition. He was sent here for this special purpose. There was a large attendance at the inspection last night.

After the inspection was made two candidates were received and degrees conferred on them in both the Golden Cross and Knight Templar orders. The candidates were Capt. Wright, of the steamer Clyde and Mr. Oscar Hank, the well known tobacco buyer.

Col. Ben Weille, one of the committee on arrangements and program for the interstate meeting of I. O. O. F. stated that he had received applications from over 15 Illinois towns for accommodations for delegations to be sent here to the meeting April 26.

"Western Kentucky will be well represented in this meeting," Colonel Weille declared. "We have letters

of application from a dozen towns in this end of the state where delegates will be sent from and we look for several thousand visitors from Kentucky alone.

Local members of the Woodmen of the World order have prepared to give a series of entertainments each week to raise the \$1,000 necessary to entertain the visitors who will come here during the meeting of Head Camp "H" next year. Dances will be the features and the Brunswick hall will be used until the weather gets warmer, then the dancing pavilion at Wallace park will be secured.

The committee on arrangements is still at work preparing for the big interstate meeting of the I. O. O. F. to be held here April 26th. The program will be outlined in a few days.

Among politicians the proportion of the elect is very small.

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### IMPROVEMENTS TO BE MADE.

#### The Gun Club Is to Have Prettier Shooting Grounds.

The improvements contemplated on the Paducah Gun club grounds at Wallace park will begin this week. If the weather is favorable. The shooting season will open up with the spring and the sportsmen are anxious for a practice shoot.

The grounds are to be improved in many ways and the Paducah Traction company will do the work. Manager John S. Blecker having made an inspection and decided on the changes to be made.

—No. 9. The unfortunate man—has a friend who invested and lost. Very sorry indeed for No. 9. He ought to shake his friends and buy stock in Paducah Bullfrog Co. and make more fortunate friends and money at the same time.

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